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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Katsumi Fujimoto et al.

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Serial No. : 10/078,650

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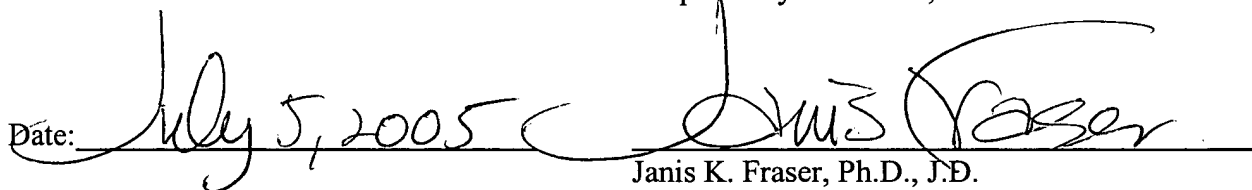
PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated January 3, 2005, be extended for three months to and including July 5, 2005 (July 3 being a Sunday and July 4 being a holiday).

Enclosed is a check for \$1020 for the required fee. Apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing Attorney Docket No. 14875-101001.

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